

# Alexander County Juvenile Crime Prevention Council Request for Proposals

**\$20,446**

Anticipated County Allocation

**30%**

Required Local Match

**February 21, 2022**

Date Advertised

The Juvenile Crime Prevention Council (JCPC) has studied the risk factors and needs of Juvenile Court-involved youth in Alexander County and hereby publishes this Request for Proposals. The JCPC anticipates funds from the NC Dept. of Public Safety in the amount stated above to fund the program types specified below. Such programs will serve delinquent and at-risk youth for the state **fiscal year 2022-2023** beginning on, or after, **July 1, 2022**. The use of these funds in this county require a local match in the amount specified above.

The JCPC will consider proposals for the following needed programs:

Restorative Justice - Type Programs:

\* Mediation/Conflict Resolution

\* Teen Court

Proposed program services should target the following risk factors for delinquency or repeat delinquency:

\*School Behavior Problems \*Juveniles who associate with other delinquent peers \* Parenting Skills \*Mental Health \*Reduction in Juvenile Recidivism

Programs should address the following concerns as reported in the Needs Assessments for adjudicated youth:

Peer Domain: Alexander County youth involved with juvenile justice system are more likely to associate with others involved in delinquent activities or gang involvement.

Individual Domain: Substance Abuse, mental health, and health care services are critical issues in providing assistance to youth and families involved in the juvenile justice system. Programs receiving JCPC funds shall provide appropriate access to these services.

Family Domain: Parental Support and/or parental enhancement skills are needed for court-referred youth. Access to services that provide best practices and have the ability to engage families are needed.

School Domain: Youth involved with the Alexander County juvenile justice system have increased risk of school behavior issues reflected in prolonged absences, suspension, failing grades, attendance issues, and bullying.

Applicants are being sought that are able to address items below:

1. Program services compatible with research that are shown to be effective with juvenile offenders.
2. Program services are outcome-based.
3. The program has an evaluation component.
4. Program services detect gang participation and divert individuals from gang participation.
5. Applicants are encouraged to be innovative and submit proposals that meet multiple program needs.

Local public agencies, 501(c)(3) non-profit corporations and local housing authorities are invited to submit applications to provide services addressing the above elements.

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JCPC Chairperson or Designee

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In order to apply for FY 2022-2023 JCPC funding, you must complete and submit your application online by accessing NC ALLIES. Please read and follow all instructions at the following link:

<https://cp.ncdjjdp.org/CP/>

After submitting the application electronically, print and submit hard copies as indicated below. Private non-profits are also required to submit No Over Due Tax forms, Conflict of Interest Statements, Agency Conflict of Interest Policy and proof of 501(c)(3) status.

**NOTE:** For further information, or technical assistance about applying for JCPC funds in this county, contact P. Scott Stoker, Div. of Adult Correction and Juvenile Justice, Area Consultant, at (704) 603-6833.

Deadline to Submit Application Online: March 23, 2022, by 5:00 p.m.